REMARKS

Applicant elects the invention designated as "II" in the Office Action, claims 9 through 11, drawn to an apparatus. Applicant hereby withdraws claims 1-8 and claim 12 respectfully reserving the right to reinstate those claims at a later date.

Applicant also submits herewith what amounts to a preliminary amendment amending claims 9 through 11 and adding new claims 13 through 16, each depending from claim 9.

In view of the election made herein Applicant respectfully submits that elected claims 9 through 11 and new claims 13 through 16 are in condition for allowance and requests reconsideration of the same. Applicant requests that the Examiner telephone the undersigned in the event a telephone discussion would be helpful in advancing the prosecution of the present application. The Director is authorized to charge any fees or underpayment of fees regarding this response including extensions for reply to Deposit Account 07-1509.

Respectfully submitted

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